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Contradictions in the

Gospels: This book presents an analytical study of the Gospel texts, highlighting the discrepancies and conflicting narratives that emerged among the four Gospels. The work aims to examine these contradictions from a historical and critical perspective.

First: The mentioned texts

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1 **Peter 2:22**

"He who committed no sin, nor was deceit found in his mouth" speaks of Christ, and points to his innocence and perfection.

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Romans **5:12**

“Therefore, just as sin entered the world through one man, and death through sin, and in this way death came to all people, because all sinned.”

• Christ did not sin (according to the first text).

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• But death “has passed over to all people” because “all have sinned” (according to the second text).

The **genealogy of Christ:** [1]

In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 16:1-1), Jesus' genealogy is traced through Solomon, son of David. In the Gospel of Luke (Luke 23:3-3), the genealogy is traced through Nathan, son of David.

2. **The Birth of Jesus:** o In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 25:1-18), the birth of Jesus in Bethlehem is mentioned, along with the visit of the Magi. o In the Gospel of Luke (Luke 7:2-1), further details of the birth of Jesus are given, including the Roman census and the visit of the shepherds. 3. **Jesus' Life in Egypt:** o In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 15:13-2:15), Jesus fled to Egypt after Herod's attempt to kill the children. o In the Gospel of Luke, Jesus' flight to Egypt is not mentioned. 4. **The Temptation of Jesus:**

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In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 11:4-1), three temptations of Jesus in the wilderness are mentioned.

In the Gospel of Luke (Luke 13:4-1), the order of events is different.

5. **Teaching on Prayer:** o In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 9:6-13), the Lord's Prayer is taught as part of the Sermon on the Mount. o In the Gospel of Luke (Luke 2:11-4), the same prayer is taught but in a slightly different way.

6. **The concept of the Kingdom:** o In the Gospel of Matthew, there is much talk of the "Kingdom of Heaven." o In the Gospel of Mark, the focus is on the "Kingdom of God."

7. **Miracles of Healing:**

In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 1:4-8), Jesus heals the leper. In the Gospel of Luke (Luke 12:5-14) , the miracle is recounted in a different way, involving multiple interactions.

8. **The date of the crucifixion:** In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 45:27-46), Jesus says: “My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”

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In Mark (Mark 15:34), he says the same thing, but in Luke (Luke 23:46), Jesus says, "Father, into your hands I commit my spirit." **Prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane:** In .9 Matthew (Matthew 36:26-46), Jesus prays with the disciples three times. In Luke (Luke 39:22-46), Jesus prays differently and speaks of sweat as "drops of blood." The **End of Christ:** In Matthew (Matthew 1:28-10), the tomb is open, and an angel tells the women about Jesus' resurrection. In Mark (Mark 1 :16-8), the tomb is also open, but the description of the angel telling the women differs. **Events after the Resurrection:** In .11 Matthew (Matthew 16:28-20), Jesus appears to the disciples in Galilee and gives them a mission. In the Gospel of Luke (Luke 36:24-49), post-resurrection events take place in Jerusalem. 12. **Jesus' appearance after the resurrection:** In the Gospel of John (John 19:20-23), Jesus appears to his disciples in the upper ro

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In the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 16:20-28), Jesus appears in Galilee after the resurrection.

13 Of course! Here are some of the contradictions that are sometimes mentioned in critical discussions about the Bible, in a style similar to that attributed to the Indian writer "Zidni" - that is, in a direct, clear style, based on a comparison between texts:

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1. Who saw Jesus first after his resurrection? According to **Matthew 28 :9-1 ,** "Mary Magdalene and the other Mary" saw Jesus first. However, in **John** the **20 :17-14 ,** "Mary Magdalene alone" saw him first. **2. How many women went to the tomb?** Matthew **28 :1:** Only two Marys. Mark **16 :1:** Three women. Luke **24:10 :** Many women. John **20 :1:** Mary Magdalene alone. **3. Did Paul see Christ alone, or were there othe**

Acts **9 :7** "The men who were with him stood silently listening to the voice..."

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Acts **22 :9** "But those who were with me did not hear the voice..."

4. Did Judas die by strangulation or by falling and bursting open? o **Matthew 27 :5** “So he went and strangled himself.” o **Acts 1:18 “ He** fell on his face, and his body burst open in the middle, and all his bowels gushed out.”

5. How many generations are there in the lineage of Christ from David to the exile? o **Matthew 1 :11-6 :** Fourteen generations. But **according to the number of names** in the text, there are only **thirteen.**

6. Did Jesus ascend to heaven on the same day as the Resurrection or after forty days?

Luke **24:51: He** ascended on the same day. Acts **1 :9-3 :** He ascended after forty days.

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7. Does Jesus know when the hour (of resurrection) will be?

Mark **13:32** "But about that day or hour no one knows, not **even** the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father."

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John **16:30** The disciples say, "Now we know that you know all things." (Clear contradiction: Does he know everything, or does he not know even the Day of Judgment?) **8. Who carried Jesus' cross?** John **19:17** "So he went out, carrying his own cross..." Matthew **27:32, Mark 15:21, and Luke 23:26 "** They seized a man from Cyrene named Simon... to carry the cross behind Jesus." **9. What were Jesus' last words on the cross?**

o **Matthew 27:46 and Mark 15:34 "** My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?" o **Luke 23:46 "** Father, into your hands I commit my spirit." o **John 19:30 "** It is finished."

10. Does the Lord test people?

James **1:13: "** God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone." Genesis **22 :1 :** "After these things God tested Abraham." **11. How many demons did Jesus cast out of the demon-possessed man?**

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o **Mark 5 :13-2** One man had a legion of demons (many). o

Matthew 8 :32-28 Two

demon-possessed men came out of the tombs.

12. How many generations were there from Abraham to Christ?

Matthew **1:17 :** "So all the generations from Abraham to David are fourteen generations, from David to the exile to Babylon fourteen, and from the exile to Babylon to the Messiah fourteen." But when counting the names in the same text: **from the exile to the Messiah, there are not 14 generations, but only 13. Does God see?**

One cat." John **1:18** "God has not seen him. "

Exodus 33:11 " The Lord spoke to Moses face to face , as a man speaks to his friend."

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14. Is the Law permanent or has it ended?

Matthew **5 :17-18 :** "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law... As long as heaven and earth endure, not one letter, not one stroke of a pen, will disappear from the Law."

Romans **6:14 :** "You are not under the law but under grace."

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Hebrews **7 :19-18** "For the former commandment is set aside because of its weakness **and** unprofitability."

15. Did everyone sin?

Romans **3:23** "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

Job **1 :1** "There was a blameless and upright man, one who feared God and turned away from evil." Luke **1 :6** "And both of them were righteous before God, walking blamelessly in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord."

(Referring to Zechariah and Elizabeth) **16. Does God regret?** Genesis **6 :6** "The Lord was grieved that he had made man on the earth, and his heart was troubled." **Numbers 23:19 "** God is not the a man, that he should lie, nor a son of man, that he should repent." **17. Did Moses see God face to face?** Exodus **33:11** "The Lord will speak to Moses face to face , as a man speaks to his friend." Exodus **33:20** "For no one **may** se

18. Does God create evil?

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o **Isaiah 45 :7** "He forms the light and creates darkness, He makes peace and creates evil." o **James 1:17 "** Every good and perfect gift comes down from above from the Father of lights, with whom there is no change nor shadow due to change."

19. Is it permissible to judge parents for the sins of their children?

Exodus **20 :5** "I will punish the children for the iniquity of the fathers." Ezekiel **18:20** "The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father, nor the father bear the iniquity of the son." **How many days was the Flood ?**

Genesis **7:17** "And the flood lasted forty days on the earth." Genesis **7:24** "And the waters covered the earth for one hundred and fifty days . **"**

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21. Is the Lord seen or unseen? One of the people o **1 Timothy 6:16** “who has not seen him nor can see him.” o **Genesis 2:18:1** “The Lord appeared to him at the great oaks of Mamre…” (and spoke with Abraham).

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22. Is Jesus God or less than God? John **10:30:** “I and the Father are one.” **John 14:28 :** “ My Father is greater than I.” **23. Is Jesus able to do everything?** Matthew **28:18:** “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.” Mark **6 :5 :** “And he could not do there one miracle.”

24. Did the disciples receive the Holy Spirit before or after Jesus' ascension?

John **20:22** "And he breathed on them and said, **'** Receive the Holy Spirit.'" Acts **4:1-2** They received the Holy Spirit after his ascension on the day of Pentecost. **25. How many people entered Egypt with Jacob?** Genesis **46:27** "All the people of the house of Jacob who came to Egypt were seventy." **Acts** 7:14 **"** And Joseph sent and called for his father Jacob and all his relatives, seventy-five people." **26. Who bought the field of**

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o **Matthew 27:7** "So they consulted together and bought the potter's field with it." o **Acts 1:18** "This man bought a field with the wages of his wickedness."

27. Is repentance sufficient, or are works necessary? Acts 16:31: “Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and be saved.” James 2:24 : “ So **you** see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone.”

28. Is there a righteous person who does not sin? o **Ecclesiastes 7:20** “There is no one on earth who is good and does not sin.” o **Job 1:1** “He was a blameless and upright man.” **29. Does the Lord rejoice in the death of the wicked?** o **Ezekiel 18:23** “Is it my pleasure to kill the wicked? declares the Sovereign Lord.” o **Deuteronomy 28:63** “As the Lord rejoiced to bring you good, so the Lord rejoices to destroy you.” **30. Does God change his mind?** 1 **Samuel 15:29** “Israel does not lie or repent, for he is not a man that he should repent.” Exodus **32:14** “ Then the Lord relented concerning the disaster that he had said he would bring on his people.”

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31. Is God a God of peace or a God of war?

o **Romans 15:33** “And the God of peace will be with you all.” o **Exodus 15:3** “The Lord is a man of war; the Lord is his name.” **32. Is Satan the tempter or God?** o **Matthew 4:1** “Then Jesus was led up by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil.” o **2 Samuel 24:1** “And he added the wrath of the Lord against Israel, and stirred up David against them.” o **1 Chronicles 21:1** “And Satan rose up against Israel and stirred up David to number Israel.” (Contradiction: Did the Lord stir up David or Satan?)

33. Who was Joseph the carpenter's father?

o **Matthew 1:16** "And Jacob begot Joseph, the husband of Mary." o **Luke 3:23** "And Joseph was the son of Heli." **34. What is the origin of Bethlehem?**

Micah **5:2** "But you , Bethlehem Ephrathah, are too small to be among the clans of Judah."

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John **7:42** "Does not the Scripture say that the Messiah will come from the line of David and from Bethlehem, the village where David lived?" **But** in Matthew **2 and Luke 2 ,** Bethlehem is mentioned, and in **John,** people assume Jesus is from Galilee. **35. Does God change the laws?**

o **Psalm 89:34** “I will not break my covenant or alter what my lips have uttered.” o **Hebrews 7:12** “For if the priesthood is altered, there must necessarily be a alteration of the law also.” **36. Did Jesus’ body see decay?** o **Acts 2:31** “His body was not left in the tomb, and his body did not see decay.” o But **Matthew 12:40** “Just as Jonah was in the belly of the great fish three days and three nights…” (Biological decay begins after three days. So how could it not see decay?) **37. Does the earth rotate or is it stationary?** Psalm **104 :5** “He established the earth on its foundations, so that it shall never be moved.”

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But science confirms the Earth's rotation, which contradicts the concept in some Old Testament texts.

38. Was Jesus the only one who ascended to heaven?

John **3:13** "No one has ascended into heaven except he who descended from heaven, the Son of Man." 2 **Kings 2:11** "And Elijah went up to heaven in a whirlwind. **"**

39. Who buried Jesus?

Mark **15 :43-46:** Joseph of Arimathea buried Jesus. John **19 :38-42:** Joseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus both did so.

40. Does God mislead people?

2 Thessalonians 2:11 "For this reason God will send them the a powerful deception." James **1:13** "God does not tempt anyone or deceive anyone. **"**

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41. Is it possible to be righteous according to the law?

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Luke **1:6** "And both of them were righteous before God , walking blamelessly in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord." Romans **3:20** "For by the works **of** the law no one will be justified in his sight."

42. Who wrote the books of Moses?

It is said that **Moses** wrote the first five books. However , **Deuteronomy 5:34-7** mentions Moses' death and burial, which means that the writer could not have been Moses. **43. Does God force people to believe?** John **44 :6:** "No one can come to me unless the Father draws him." Revelation **20:3:** " **Behold ,** I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him." **44. Is salvation by faith alone, or by faith and works?**

Ephesians **9 :2-8: "** For by grace you have been saved through faith... not by works." James **2:26:** "Faith without works is dead." **45. Was Christ sent to all people or only to the Israelites?**

Matthew **15:24: "** I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel."

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Matthew **28:19** "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations." **Together**

before the birth of Jesus? 46 Did Joseph and Mary sleep ?

Matthew **1:25** "And he did not know her until she had given birth **to** her firstborn

son." This indicates that he knew her after the birth.
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While the Church teaches that he never knew her and that she remained a virgin, this

contradicts the text. **47. Did all the prophets**

speak of the crucifixion of Christ? Acts **3:18 states ,** "All the prophets spoke

of the sufferings of Christ." However, there is no direct or clear mention of

the crucifixion

of Christ in this way in the Old Testament.

48. Does God always repent and forgive?

Isaiah **55:7** "Let him turn to the Lord, and he will have mercy on him, and to our God, for

he abounds in forgiveness."

Proverbs 29 : 1-28 "Then they will call on me, but I will not answer...for they hate

knowledge." **49. How many days**

were there between the resurrection and the ascension? Luke

24 suggests that the ascension happened on the same day. Acts 1 : 3 He

ascended after forty days.

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50. Is Jesus the only Savior? o **Acts 4:12**

“Salvation is found in no one else.” o But in **Hosea 4:13**

“I am the Lord your God… and apart from me there is no Savior.”

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51. Can God be seen face to face?

Genesis **32:30** "So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel, saying, 'For I have seen God face to face , and yet my life has been spared.'" John **1:18 "** God has not seen him ." **52 Is Christ only the light of the world?**

John **8:12** "I am the light of the world." Matthew **5:14** "You are the light of the world." (Address to believers) **53. Is everything permitted, or are there restrictions? 1** Corinthians **10:23 "** All things **are** lawful for me, but not all things are helpful." Acts **15:29** imposes specific restrictions on food, blood, and sacrifices.

54. Did Jesus come for peace or the sword?

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Luke **2:14** "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace." **Matthew** 10:34 **"** I did not come to bring peace, but a sword. **"**

55. Does God punish children for the sins of their fathers? Exodus **5:20:** "I punish the children for the sins of the fathers to the third and fourth generation." Ezekiel **20:18 :** "The son shall not bear the iniquity of the father. **"**

56. Did those who crucified Christ know who he was?

Luke **23:34 :** “ Father , forgive them, for they do not know what they are doing.”

Matthew 27:54 : “Truly this was the Son of God!” (said the centurion during the crucifixion) .

57. Did Christ die willingly or was he killed?

John **10:18:** “No one takes it from me , but I lay it down of my own accord.” Acts **2:23: “ You** crucified him and put him to death by the hands of lawless men.”

58. Was Moses the most eloquent of men or slow to speak?

Acts **7:22** "And Moses was trained in all the wisdom of the Egyptians , and was powerful in speech."

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Exodus **4:10:** “I am not eloquent, neither yesterday nor the day before… but I am slow of speech and tongue.” **59.**

Was Christ cursed or not?

Galatians **3:13:** “He became a curse for us.” **1**

God **Corinthians 3:12:** “No one speaking by the Spirit says, ‘Jesus** the is cursed.’” **60. Is there a**

contradiction in how Judas knew the place? Matthew **47 :26-49:**

Judas pointed out Jesus to them with a kiss. John **2:18-3:** “Now Judas knew the place , because Jesus often met there with his disciples.” (That is, the need for a kiss was not obvious.)

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61. Does God sometimes reward the

wicked? o **Matthew 5:45** “He makes his sun rise on the wicked and

on the good.” o **Psalm 92:7** “When the wicked bloom like grass… they will be

destroyed forever.” **62. Is it possible for a person to be without sin?**

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1 John 3:9 "No one who is born of God continues to sin." **1** the

John 1:8

"If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves." the

63. Is lying always a sin? o

Proverbs 22:12 “Lying lips are an abomination to the

Lord.” o **Joshua 4:2-6:** Rahab lied to the soldiers and saved the

spies, and was praised for it. **64. Does**

God repent of evil? o **Exodus 14:32**

“Then the Lord relented from the disaster he had said he would

bring on his

people.” **Numbers 19:23** “God is not a man, that he should lie, nor the

a son of

man, that he should repent.” **65. Did Jesus come to save the world or to c**

John **12:47** "I did not come to judge the world, but to save the

world."

John 9:39 **"** For judgment I came into this world." **66 Did**

Jesus know the time of the figs? Mark **11:13**

that "It was not the season **for** figs." And he cursed the tree

because **it** was not fruitful.

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Did he not know the natural timing of fruiting? the

67. Does the Father alone know the day of the

Resurrection? Mark 13:32 : “But about that day or hour no one knows,

not even the Son, but only the Father.”

John **16:30:** “Now we know that you know all things.” 68. Did David

have **a specific number of sons?**

o **2 Samuel 16:5-13** lists the names of David's sons. o **1 Chronicles**

9:3-1 presents a different list of the sons' names and their order. **69. Is**

God's

salvation conditional or unconditional?

Acts **16:31** "Believe in the Lord Jesus and you will be saved."

Matthew **7:21** "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord , Lord, ' will enter

the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father."

70. Did Christ come to uphold the Law or to abolish it? o

Matthew 5:17 "I did not come to abolish it but to fulfill it." o

Galatians 3:13 "Christ redeemed us from the curse of the Law." o

Romans 7:6 "He has set us free from the law."

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71. Does God forbid killing or command it? o **Exodus**

13:20 "You shall not murder." o **1**

Samuel 3:15 "Now go and attack the Amalekites... Do not spare

them, but put to death men and women, children and infants."

72. Does God sometimes punish the righteous?

Psalm **34:19** "Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord

delivers him out of them all."

Job 23 **:9-22** "The innocent and the wicked perish... When the whip is

suddenly killed, it mocks the trials of the innocent."

73. Is Jesus descended from David through his father or from Mary?

Matthew 16 **:1-1** traces the genealogy through Joseph the carpenter.

But according to doctrine , **Jesus is not Joseph's biological son ,** so

how can he inherit David's lineage from him?

74. Should a woman remain silent in church?

1 Corinthians 14:34 "Let your women keep silent in the churches." Acts the

21:9 "Now Philip had four virgin daughters who prophesied." (How could they

prophesy if they

were silent?) **75 Was the cross of**

Christ a necessity or a stumbling block?

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o **Galatians 3:13** "He became a curse for us."

1 Corinthians 1:23 "We preach Christ crucified... a stumbling block to the Jews." o **Luke 22:42** "If you are willing to take this cup from me." **76. Can God be seen and his voice heard?**

o **John 5:37** "You have neither heard his voice nor seen his form."

Exodus **33:11:** “The Lord spoke to Moses face to face, as a man speaks to his friend.” **77. How many generations are there from David to Christ? Matthew** 1:17 : “All the generations from David to the Babylonian exile were fourteen, and from the exile to Christ were fourteen.” But the actual count in the text does not give the exact number. **78. Does Satan have power over the world? 1 John 5:19:** “The whole world lies in the power of the evil one.” Matthew **28:18:** “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.” (Does Satan have authority , or Jesus?) **79. Does the Lord forg**

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1 John 1:9 "If we confess our sins , he is faithful and just to forgive the us." Mark **3:29**

"Anyone who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will never be forgiven." **80 Is there**

mediation between God and people?

1 Timothy 2:5 "For there is one God and one mediator between the God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus." John **14:16** "And I will ask the Father , and he will give you another Advocate to be with you." (If there is one mediator, is the Holy Spirit another mediator?)

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81. Does blessing come from the law or from faith?

Deuteronomy **2 :28:1** "If you obey the voice of the Lord your God... these blessings will come upon you." Galatians **3:11** "No one is justified before God by the law. **"**

82. Did Christ come to destroy family relationships?

o **Matthew 10:35-36:** "I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother...and a man's enemies will be the members of his own household." o **Exodus 12:20:** "Honor your father and your mother."

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83. Does God mislead people?

Ezekiel **14:9** "If a prophet is deceived and speaks a word, it is I , **the Lord, who have deceived that prophet." James 1:13** " God **does** not tempt anyone with evil."

84. Are priests permanent, or has their priesthood been abolished? Numbers 25:13: "And he and his descendants after the **him shall have an everlasting priesthood." Hebrews 7:12 :** " **If** the priesthood is changed, there must be a change in the law also." **85. Is Christ a prophet or the Son of God?** Matthew **21:11:** "This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth of Galilee." Matthew **16:16: "** You are the Christ, the Son of the living God

86. Is seeing God possible? o

Exodus 10:11-24: "And they saw the God of Israel." One never saw him. o **John 1:18:** "God did not see him." **Obedience to the Law or faith alone? 87. Should** o

Romans 3:31: "Do we then nullify the Law through faith? By no means! Rather, we uphold the Law."

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Galatians **2:16** "No one will be justified by the works of the law , but by faith in Jesus Christ."

88. Is there a contradiction in the genealogy of Jesus between Matthew and Luke? o **Matthew 1:** The genealogy is from David through Solomon. o **Luke 3:** The genealogy is from David through Nathan, not Solomon.

89. Was the calling of the disciples complete from the beginning?

Mark **16 :1-20: They** were all called at the beginning. John **35:51:** Different sequences and separate callings.

90. Is Jesus' body after the resurrection physical or spiritual?

Luke **24:39** "Look at my hands and my feet... my body, flesh and bone." **1 Corinthians 15:44** "It is sown as a natural body and raised as a spiritual body." the

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91. Did the disciples understand Jesus' message?

Mark **8 :31-33:** When he told them about his death and resurrection, "Peter rebuked him." **John** 30:16 : "Now we know that you know all things."

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92. Is salvation permanent or can it be lost?

John **10:28** "And no one will snatch them out of my hand."

Hebrews **6:4-6** "Those **who** have fallen cannot be renewed again to repentance." **93**

Was the preaching only for the Jews or for the

Gentiles? Matthew **6 :5-10** "Do not go to the Gentiles... but to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Matthew

19:28 "Go **therefore** and make disciples of all nations." **94**

Is John the Baptist Elijah?

o **Matthew 11:14** “He is Elijah who was to come.” o

John 1:21 “Are you not Elijah?” He said, “I am not.” **95. Was the**

punishment for adultery carried out according to

the Law? o **John 11:3-8:** The adulterous woman was not stoned, but Christ

forgave her. o **Deuteronomy 22:22** The punishment of stoning is clear.

96. Is Jesus the only shepherd? John **10:11:**

“I am the good shepherd.” Acts **20:28: Bishops** are

called “shepherds of the church of God.” **97. Is God a God of war or a**

God of peace ?

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Exodus **15:3** "The Lord is a man of war." Romans **15:33**

"The God of peace." **98. Did Jesus die**

before or after drinking the vinegar? Matthew **50 :48-27:50: He** drank it

and then breathed his last. Mark **37 :15:36:37** shows that his cry was before he drank the vinegar.

99. Did Jesus bear the sins of humanity or not? o

Isaiah 53:6 “The Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.” o

Deuteronomy 24:16 “Fathers shall not be put to death for their children, nor children put to death for their fathers; each one shall be put to death for his own sin.”

How many times did the rooster crow after Peter's denial?

o **Matthew 26:34** "Before the rooster crows, you will deny me three times."

o **Mark**

14:30 "Before the rooster crows twice, you will deny me three times."

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101. Is God the source of evil?

Isaiah **45:7** " **He** who makes peace and creates evil."

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James **1:17** "Every good gift...comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no change nor shadow due to change." **102. Who carried the cross? Jesus or Simon?**

John **19:17** " **So** he went out , carrying his own cross." Mark **15:21** "And they forced a man... Simon of Cyrene to carry his cross."

103. Did Christ die on the third day or after three days? Matthew **16:21: "** On the third day he will rise again." Matthew **12:40:** "Just as Jonah was in the belly of the great fish for three days and three nights." **104. Was the crucifixion at the third hour or the sixth hour ?**

o **Mark 15:25** "It was the third hour when they crucified him." o **John 16:14-19** indicates that the crucifixion was after the sixth hour.

105. Was John's baptism from God or from men? Matthew **21:25:** Jesus asks, "John's baptism, from where? **"** She was?"

Acts **18:25** Apollos knew only about John's baptism, and indicated that it **was** incomplete.

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106. Is Sharia valid or expired?

o **Psalm 19:7** "The law of the Lord is perfect."

o **Romans 10:4** "For the end of the law is Christ." **107**

Does God regret His actions? o

Genesis 6:6 "The Lord was grieved in His

heart." **1 Samuel 15:29** "He is not like a man, that he should repent."

108. Can humans see God or not?

Job **42:5** “I had heard of you by the hearing of the ear, but

now my eye

sees you.” John **1:18** “God has not seen

him . ” **109 Is Jesus the only judge?**

John **5:22** “The Father judges no one , but has committed

all judgment to

the Son.” Acts **10:42** “He is appointed by God to **be** judge

of the living

and the dead.” But **Matthew 19:28** says that the disciples

will also judge. **110 Does God change his decisio**

Exodus **32:14** "Then the Lord relented from the disaster."

Malachi 3 **:6** "I am the Lord , I do not change."

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111. Is there a sinless person? o

Ecclesiastes 7:20 "For there is no one on earth who is good and does not sin." o **Luke 1:6** "And both of them (Zechariah and Elizabeth) were righteous before God, walking blamelessly in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord." **112. Does Jesus judge or not judge?** o **John 3:17** "For God did not send his Son into the world to judge the world." o **John 9:39** "For I came into this world to be judged." **113. Does God love sinners or hate them?** o **John 3:16** "For God so loved the world..." o **Psalm 5:5** "Those who boast shall not stand before your eyes; you hate all evildoers." **114. Can Jesus be seen and recognized after the resurrection?** o **Matthew 28:9** "Then they came to him, took hold of his feet, and worshiped him." o **Luke 24:16** "You kept their eyes from recognizing him." **115. Do**

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o **Genesis 22:1** "God tested Abraham." o **James 1:13** "God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone."

116. Is Jesus the physical Son of David? o **Matthew 1:1:** "The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the Son of David." o **Mark 35:12-37:** Jesus himself questions this: "How can the scribes say that the Christ is the Son of David?" **117. Is happiness found in money or not?** o **Ecclesiastes 19:10:** "Silver obtains all things." **1 Timothy 10:6:** "The love of the money is a root of all kinds of evil." **118. Does God always see everything?** o **Proverbs 3:15:** "The eyes of the Lord are everywhere." o **Genesis 9:3:** "Then the Lord God called to Adam and said to him, 'Where are you?'" (Did he not know?) **119. Will heaven pass away or remain?** o **Psalm 6:148:** "He established it forever and ever." o **Matthew 35:24:** "Heaven and earth will pass away." **120. Is salvation by faith a**

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Ephesians **9:2-8** " **By** grace you have been saved... not by works."

James **2:24** "So you see that it **is** by works that a person is justified, and not by faith alone."

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121. Do the prophets know everything, or not?

o **Acts 3:24** "And all the prophets from Samuel onward... spoke of these days." **1 Peter 1:10-11** "The prophets... searched and searched for salvation, the but did not know the time." **122. Did Christ come to keep the Law or to abolish it?** o **Matthew 5:17** "I did not come to abolish it but to fulfill it." o **Hebrews 8:13** "The first has been abolished so that the second may be established." **123. Do miracles always lead to faith?** o **John 2:23** "Many believed in his name when they saw the signs." o **John 12:37** "And though he had performed so many signs in their presence, they still did not believe in him." **124. Is Jesus the only shepherd, or**

John **10:16** "There **shall** be one flock and one shepherd."

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1 Peter 2:5 "Shepherd the flock of God... not as rulers over the possessions." **125**

Was Jesus born in Bethlehem or Nazareth? o **Matthew 1:2** He was born in Bethlehem. John **41 :7-42** The Jews doubted because they thought he was from Nazareth and not Bethlehem. **126**

Was the crucifixion a divine plan or a betrayal? Acts **23:2** "By God's definitive plan and foreknowledge he was crucified and died." **Matthew 24:26** " **Woe** to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed."

127. Did Paul see Christ? Acts **9:7** “Then Paul got up from the ground, his eyes open, but he could see nothing.” **1 Corinthians 9:1** “Am I not an apostle? Have I not seen Jesus Christ our Lord?” **128. Does the God always act justly?**

o **Deuteronomy 32:4** "A God of faithfulness, in whom there is no injustice." o **Matthew 13:12** "To him who has, more will be given, and he will have abundance; but from him who does not have, even what he has will be taken away." (Is this justice?)

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129. Does God change his mind because of people's prayers? Exodus **32:14** "Then the Lord relented." **1 Samuel 15:29** "He is not like a man, who relents."

130. Can the love of God and the love of the world coexist? John **3:16** “For God so loved the world.” **1 John 2:15** “If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. ”

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131. Does God forget or not forget? o **Isaiah 49:15** “Can a woman forget her nursing child… yet I will not forget you.” o **Genesis 8:1** “Then God remembered Noah.” (Had he forgotten?)

132. Did Jesus come for the righteous or for sinners? Matthew 9:13: "I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners." Matthew 13:49 : " **They** will **separate** the wicked from the righteous." **133. Is forgiveness conditional or unconditional?** Matthew **15 :14-15:** "If you do not forgive others... your Father will not forgive you."

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Ephesians **1:7 :** "In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins." **134. Is Christ's prayer always answered?** John **11:42:** "And I knew that you always hear me." Matthew **26:39:** " **Father ,** if it is possible , let this cup pass from me." And it was not answered. **135. Does Christ know the hour of the resurrection?** Mark **13:32 :** "But about that day or hour no one knows... not even the Son." John **16:30:** "Now we know that you know all things." **136. Are miracles a cause of faith or not?** John **2:11:** "And his disciples believed in him." John **12:37 : "** And though he performed so many signs in their presence, they did not believe in him." **137. Is there a contradiction in the number of women at Jesus' tomb?** Matthew **28 :1:** Mary Magdalene and the other Mary. Mark **16:1:** Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother

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Luke **24:10** Mary Magdalene , Joanna, Mary the mother of James, and the rest.

Mary Magdalene. John 20 **:1** only . **138 Who**

appeared first after the resurrection?

Matthew 28:9 He appeared to the two women. Mark **16:9** He appeared first to Mary Magdalene. Luke **24:15** He appeared first to the two disciples on the road **to** Emmaus . **1 Corinthians 15 :5** He appeared first to Peter.

139. Do the righteous ascend to heaven?

2 Kings 2:11 Elijah ascended to heaven. John **3:13** "No one has ascended to heaven except **the** one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man." **140 Did**

Jacob see God face to face?

Genesis **32:30:** "I saw God face to face." No one ever saw him. John **1:18: "** God has not seen him. **"**

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141. Is Jesus God or a sent prophet? John **1 :1:**

"And the Word was God."

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John **3:17:** "You alone are the true God , and Jesus Christ is the one whom you have sent."

142 Is the Spirit of God (the Holy Spirit) God himself or just an angel?

o **Acts 4-5:3** "You have not lied to men but to God." o **Luke 1:19** Gabriel says, "I am Gabriel, who stands in the presence of God."

143. Were the disciples faithful to the message?

what o **Matthew 19:20-28** "Teach them to observe all that I have commanded you."

o **Galatians 6:1** Paul says that they quickly turned away from the gospel.

144. Did Christ come to save the world or to condemn it?

John **3:17** "God did not send his Son to condemn the world, but to save it."

John 9:39 **"** For judgment I came **into** this world."

145. Are the commandments of Christ eternal or temporary? o **Matthew 5:18** “Until heaven and earth disappear, not one letter, not one stroke of a pen, will disappear from the Law.”

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Romans **6:14** "You are not under the law , but under grace."

146. Is there a distinction between the Father

and the Son? John **14:28:** "My Father is greater than I." **John** 10:30 : "I and the

Father are one." **147. Is the Law of Moses from**

God or not? Exodus **31:18:** "God wrote it with his finger." John **1:17 :** "For the law was given through Moses."

(This suggests that Moses is the source of the Law , not God directly.)

148. Is Jesus the only way to salvation?

John **14:6** "I am the way, the truth, and the life." **Acts 10:35**

" **But** in every nation, whoever fears him and does what is right is acceptable to him."

149. Does God discriminate between people?

o **Acts 10:34** “Truly I know that God does not accept partiality.”

o **Romans 9:13** “I loved Jacob, but I hated Esau.” **150 Is the**

Gospel one or multiple?

Galatians **6 :1-7:** "There is only one gospel; all others are false."

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But there are **the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John** — multiple Gospels with different narratives and events.

Very interesting! Since you said "continue," I'll add another set of contradictions to bring the list beyond 150 to 160 and beyond, making it a comprehensive and robust reference resource.

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151. Does God command lying?

Exodus **20:1-18:** The midwives lied to Pharaoh, and God showed them kindness.

Proverbs **12:22 :** "Lying lips are an abomination to the Lord." 152. Who was Joseph's grandfather , **Mary's betrothed? Jacob or Heli?**

o **Matthew 1:16** "Jacob begot Joseph." o **Luke 3:23** "Joseph was the son of Heli." **.153**

Does the lineage come from David through Solomon or Nathan?

o **Matthew 1:6: Solomon** crossed over . o **Luke 3:31:** Nathan crossed over .

154. Did Jacob have only 12 sons or more?

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Genesis **35:22** mentions 12 sons.

Acts **7:14** states , "Jacob called his father and all his clan , seventy-five persons." — **Genesis 46:27** mentions only 70.

155. How many were crucified with

Jesus? Matthew **27:38:** Two robbers.

Luke **32 :23-33:** Also two. But **John**

18:19 does not specify their exact number, and it is understood that there were

sometimes more than two. **156. Were there guards at the tomb or**

o **Matthew 66:27-65:** Pilate placed guards at the tomb.

o **Mark,**

Luke, John: They do not mention any guards. **157. Did**

Joseph and Mary live in Bethlehem or Nazareth? o **Matthew**

2:23: They lived in Nazareth after returning from Egypt.

Luke **7 :2-4:** They originally lived in Nazareth and went temporarily to

Bethlehem for the birth. **158. Is the Kingdom**

of God coming soon or far off? Mark **1:15 :** "The kingdom of G

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Luke **21 :17-20:** "The kingdom of God is within you."

But centuries later, the kingdom had not been realized in the

expected way. **159. Did the disciples understand**

Christ's message? Matthew **16:17:** "Flesh and blood has not

revealed this

to you, but my Father who is in heaven." **Matthew** 16:23 :

Moments later, Jesus says to

Peter, "Get behind me, Satan!" **160. Is there a**

contradiction in Judas's death? Matthew

27:5 : "So he went and hanged himself." Acts **1:18: "** And he fell facedown and was torn in the

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161. Did King David count the people by the will of God or by the

temptation of Satan?

2 Samuel 1:24 "The Lord's anger burned against Israel, and the

he incited David against them, saying, 'Go and take a census

of Israel.'" **1**

Chronicles 1:21 "Satan stood against Israel and incited David to the

take a census of Israel." **162 Who bought**

the potter's field? Judah or the priests?

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o **Matthew 27:7** The priests bought the field with the price of treachery. o **Acts 1:18** "So Judas bought a field with the wages of his wickedness." **163 Does God tempt man?** o **Genesis 22:1** "And God tested Abraham." o **James 1:13** "God cannot be tempted by evil, nor does he tempt anyone." **164**

Who is Shealtiel's father? o **Matthew 1:12** "Jecanniah was the father of Shealtiel." o **Luke 3:27** "Shealtiel, the son of Neri." **165 When did the temptation in the wilderness take place? Before or after John's imp**

o **Mark 14:1-13** The temptation, then John was imprisoned. o **John 1 :3** John continued to baptize after the temptation.

166. How many souls came to Egypt with Jacob?

o **Genesis 46:27:** 70 souls. o **Acts 7:14:** 75 souls.

167. Does the Lord dwell in the clouds or in the light?

Deuteronomy **4:11 :** “The Lord is in the midst of fire, and of thick clouds and great darkness.”

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1 Timothy 6:16 "He dwells in unapproachable light." the

168. Did Abraham know the name of God, "Yahweh"?

Genesis **22:14** "And **Abraham** called the name of that place, Yahweh Yerahah."

Exodus **6:3** "In my name the Lord I have not made myself known to them. **"**

169. Was God pleased with the kings?

1 Kings 15:11 Asa said, “He did what was right in my eyes.” the

"The Lord."

2 Chronicles 16:7 The prophet rebukes Asa for trusting in God. the

King of Aram.

170. Did God repent of the evil he was going to do?

Jonah **3:10** "Then God relented concerning the disaster which he had foretold. **"**

He makes it, and he doesn't make it.

Number 23:19 "God is not a man, that he should repent." the

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171. Does God command peace or the sword?

Romans **12:18** "If it is possible, and as far as it depends on you, live in **peace**

All people.

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Matthew **10:34:** “Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.”

172 Was Paul speaking by revelation or personal opinion?

1 Corinthians 7:40 “And I think that I also have the Spirit of God.” **1** the **Corinthians 7:12** “To the others I say, I, not the Lord.” **173 Is** the **a person**

judged by their works or by faith alone?

o **Matthew 16:27** "He will reward each one according to his deeds." o **Romans 3:28** "A person is justified by faith apart from the works of the law."

174. Does the blessing come from God or from the

priests? Genesis **12:2** “I will bless you and magnify your name.” **Numbers 27:6-23. God** commands the priests the to bless the Israelites.

175. Do the Jews know God? o

Romans 1:2-3: "They have been given the words of God." o **John 54:55-8:54 :** "You do not know him, but I know him."

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176. Were Joseph and Mary married during Mary's pregnancy, or merely betrothed? "Mary is your wife." (Matthew **1:20)** "Do not be afraid to take her as your wife." (Matthew **1:18)** "Before they came together, she was found to be pregnant."

177. Do the dead hear God's voice? The dead hear the voice of : o **John 5:25** "The hour of the Son of God is coming." o **Ecclesiastes 9:5** "The dead know nothing." **178. How many demons were cast out of Mary Magdalene?** o **Mark 16:9** "Seven demons were cast out of her." o But in other places, the number is mentioned without specifying or attributed to other women. **179. Was the crucifixion of Jesus necessary or not?**

o **Mark 8:31** “He must suffer many things and be killed.” o **Hebrews 6:4-10** “With sacrifice and offering you had no pleasure.” (As if the sacrifice was not necessary.) **180 Did the disciples witness the resurrection directly?** o **Mark 16:14** He appeared to them after his resurrection and rebuked them for not believing.

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John **8:20** "Then the other disciple, who had come first , went into the tomb, saw and believed." But most accounts say that they did not understand the meaning of the resurrection even after the appearance of Christ.

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181. Did Jesus come to fulfill the Law or to abolish it? Matthew **5:17:** "I did not come to abolish it but to fulfill it." Romans **10:4 :** "For Christ is the end of the law." Galatians **3:13: "** Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law." **182. Who was the first disciple Jesus called?** John **1 :40-41:** Andrew was the first to follow Jesus. **Matthew** 19 **:18-4:19: Peter** and Andrew together were the first to be called.

183. Is there a righteous person who does not sin? o **Proverbs 9:20** “Who says, ‘I have cleansed my heart?’” o **Job 1:1** “This man was blameless and upright.” **184. Are all sins forgiven?** o **Mark 3:28** “All sins are forgiven.” o **Mark 3:29** “Anyone who blasphemes against the Holy Spirit will never be forgiven.”

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185. Does God see everyone? o

Proverbs 3:15 "The eye of the Lord is everywhere."

o **Genesis 21:18** "I will go down and see if they have done exactly

as she cried out."

186. Can a person be redeemed for

another? o **Psalm 49:7** "No one can redeem

another." o **Mark 10:45** "He gave his life as a ransom for

many." **187. Do blessings come because of**

lineage? o **Exodus 6:5-20** "I will show kindness to

thousands

of my friends." o **Ezekiel 18:20** "The son shall not bear the iniquity

of the father, nor the father

bear the iniquity of the son." **188. Who carried the cross? Jesus**

or Simon of Cyrene? o **John 19:17** "And he went out,

bearing his own cross." o **Matthew 27:32, Mark 15:21, Luke 23:26**

Simon of Cyrene carried the

cross. **189. Was John the Baptist Elijah?**

Matthew **11:14** "If you are willing to accept him , he is Elijah who was

to come."

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John **1:21** “Are you not Elijah?” He said, “I am not.” **190**

Does God deceive people?

2 Thessalonians 2:11 "Therefore God will send them **a** the powerful deception." James **1:13** "God does not tempt anyone with evil."

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191 Is the Law good or a burden? o

Romans 12:7 “The law is holy and the commandment is holy, righteous and good.”

o **Galatians 1:4-5** The law is described as slavery, and whoever holds to it has fallen from grace.

192. Does God change?

o **Malachi 3:6** "I am the Lord, I do not change." o

Exodus 32:14 "Then the Lord relented concerning the disaster that he had said he would bring upon his people."

193. Is there even one righteous person? Psalm 14:3: "There is no one who does good, not even one." Luke 1 : 6 : **" And** both of them were righteous before God."

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194. Are all things lawful for the believer?

1 Corinthians 6:12 “All things are lawful for me.” **1** the **Corinthians 10:23** “But not all things are helpful.” the

195. Who sent the Holy Spirit? The Father or the

Son? o **John 14:26** “The Father will send him in my name.” o **John 15:26** “When the Helper comes, whom I will send to you from

the Father.” **196. Does God love**

sinners? o **John 3:16** “For God so loved the world.” o **Psalm 5:5** “You hate all evildoers.” **197.**

Did Christ die willingly or was he forced? o **John**

10:18 “I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again.” o

Matthew 26:39 “Not my will, but yours be done.” (This contains a plea not to be

crucified.) **198. Is there justification**

through the Law? o **Galatians 2:16** “No one will be justified by the works of the Law.” o **Romans 2:13** “Those who hear the law are not righteous in God’s sight, but those who do the law are the ones who v

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199. Does God send false prophets? 1

Kings 22:23: “The Lord has put a lying spirit in the mouths of all the your prophets.”

Deuteronomy **18:20 :** “A prophet who speaks in the name of other gods shall die.”

200. Are deeds rewarded in this world or in the hereafter?

o **Matthew 1:4-6:** The reward is in secret from the Father in heaven. o **Job 10:42:** Job was rewarded for his deeds in this world.